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| Filing Date            | July 10, 2003        |
| First Named Inventor   | Masahiro Ohgami      |
| Art Unit               | 1742                 |
| Examiner Name          | Nicholas A. Smith    |
| Attorney Docket Number | 074224.0114 (A35901) |

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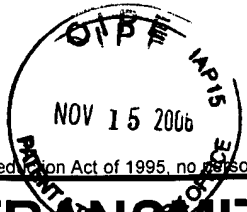
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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

| Total Claims              | Extra Claims | Fee from below | Fee Paid |
|---------------------------|--------------|----------------|----------|
| Independent Claims        | -20 =        | X              | =0       |
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| 1202         |     | 2202         |     | Claims in excess of 20                                     |
| 1201         |     | 2201         |     | Independent claims in excess of 3                          |
| 1203         |     | 2203         |     | Multiple dependent claim, if not paid                      |
| 1204         |     | 2204         |     | ** Reissue independent claims over original patent         |
| 1205         |     | 2205         |     | ** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent |
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| 1051     | 2051     | Surcharge - late filing fee or oath  |          |
| 1052     | 2052     | Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet                     |          |
| 1053     | 1053     | Non-English specification  |          |
| 1812     | 1812     | For filing a request for ex parte reexamination                            |          |
| 1804     | 1804     | Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action                     |          |
| 1805     | 1805     | Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action                        |          |
| 1251     | 2251     | Extension for reply within first month                                     | 120      |
| 1252     | 2252     | Extension for reply within second month                                    |          |
| 1253     | 2253     | Extension for reply within third month                                     |          |
| 1254     | 2254     | Extension for reply within fourth month                                    |          |
| 1255     | 2255     | Extension for reply within fifth month                                     |          |
| 1401     | 2401     | Notice of Appeal   |          |
| 1402     | 2402     | Filing a brief in support of an appeal                                     |          |
| 1403     | 2403     | Request for oral hearing   |          |
| 1451     | 1451     | Petition to institute a public use proceeding                              |          |
| 1452     | 2452     | Petition to revive - unavoidable   |          |
| 1453     | 2453     | Petition to revive - unintentional   |          |
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| 1809     | 2809     | Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))                |          |
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| 1801     | 2801     | Request for Continued Examination (RCE)                                    |          |
| 1802     | 1802     | Request for expedited examination of a design application                  |          |

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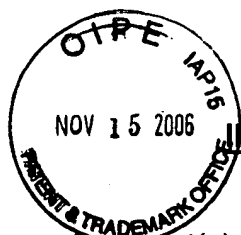
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# IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Cohen et al.

Serial No.: 10/669,155

For: CONTROLLER AND METHOD FOR A FABRIC GROOMING DEVICE

Filed: September 23, 2003

Examiner: Stephen J. Ralis

Art Unit: 3742

Confirmation No.: 1663

Customer No.: 27,623

Attorney Docket No.: 884.0207USU

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
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Dear Sir:

## AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

We are enclosing an Amendment in response to the communication dated August 11, 2006 in the above-identified application.

Petition for extension of time pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.136 and 1.137 is hereby made if, and to the extent, required. The fee for this extension of time is calculated to be \$\_\_\_\_\_ to extend the time for filing this response until \_\_\_\_\_.

The fee for any change in number of claims has been calculated as shown below.

| CLAIMS AS AMENDED               |                                  |       |                                |                 |            |    |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------|-----------------|------------|----|
|                                 | Claims Remaining After Amendment |       | Highest Number Previously Paid | Present Extra   | Rate       |    |
| Total Claims                    | 23                               | Minus | 81                             | 0               | x \$50.00  | \$ |
| Independent Claims              | 4                                | Minus | 7                              | 0               | x \$200.00 | \$ |
| MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM FEE    |                                  |       |                                | x \$360.00 = \$ |            |    |
| TOTAL FEE FOR CLAIM CHANGES     |                                  |       |                                | \$100.00        |            |    |
| 1/2 FILING FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY |                                  |       |                                | \$N/A           |            |    |

The total fee for this amendment, including claim changes and any extension of time is calculated to be \$ 0 .

     A check in the amount of \$ 0 is attached.

X The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. §§1.16 and 1.17 which may be required with this communication or during the entire pendency of the application, or credit any overpayment, to **Deposit Account No. 50-1239**. Any deficiency in fees should be charged to Deposit Account No. 01-0467 in the name of Ohlandt, Greeley, Ruggiero & Perle. A duplicate copy of this Form is enclosed.

November 13, 2006

Date



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